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SUBJ: WHEAT DESTINED FOR PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

REF: STATE 138457

1. ON JUNE 22 ACTING CHIEF
CALLED N SHIH YUN-CHING, DEPUTY OFFICE DIRECTOR
OF THE CHINA NATIONAL CEREALS, OILS AND FOODSTUFFS
IMPORT AND EXPORT CORPORATION. (AGRICULTURAL
OFFICER IS OUT OF PEKING FOR SEVERAL WEEKS).

2. ACTING CHIEF PRESENTED INFORMATION IN PARAS
TWO THROUGH SIX REFTEL TO SHIH AND ASKED FOR HIS
COMMENTS SHIH REPLIED THAT SINCE THE PRC HAD
NOT PURCHASED ANY WHEAT FROM THE US SINCE 1974
THE TCK PROBLEM, ALTHOUGH VERY SERIOUS AT ONE
TIME, HAD NOT RECENTLY BEEN AN ISSUE. SHIH WAS
TOLD THAT IF PRC IN THE FUTURE SHOULD DECIDE TO
IMPORT WHEAT FROM THE US, THESE ALTERNATIVE
PROCEDURES FOR ASSURING SHIPMENTS
FREE OF TCK WERE AVAILABLE.

3. WHEN ASKED, SHIH SAID THAT HE HAD NO
COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS ON THE PROCEDURES,
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BUT SAID THAT THEY WOULD BE DISCUSSED WITH
APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.

4. IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR PRC PLANT
QUARANTINE IMPORT REGULATIONS, SHIH SAID
THAT NO SUCH REGULATIONS ARE PUBLISHED, BUT
THAT THE APPROPRIATE RULES ARE CONTAINED IN

ALL CONTRACTS SIGNED BY FOR IMPORT OF
AGRICULTURE COMMODITIES.

5. COMMENT: WE DO NOT EXPECT TO RECEIVE
ANY COMMENT FROM THE PRC ON THE PROPOSED
REGULATIONS, BUT WE PRESUME THAT THIS
OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF ALTERNATIVE INSPECTION
PROCEDURES WILL MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE PRC
TO OVERCOME THE TCK SMUT PROBLEM IN THE US.
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